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MEMORANDUM FOR: Legislative Counsel

SUBJECT: 50 U.S.C. 783(b) and S. 782

1. The undersigned talked with [] General Counsel, NSA. I generally briefed him on our past work on the amendment to 50 U.S.C. 783(b) and its current status. At his request, I am sending him a copy of our draft and an explanatory note of the purpose.

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2. I also briefed [] on Ervin polling his Subcommittee on S. 782. This was news to [] I indicated we were making efforts through Frank Bartimo and possibly Fred Buzhardt to determine Thurmond's position. [] thereupon informed me that he and General Carter have discussed this with Thurmond. Apparently Thurmond has been given a lot of scare stories by Ervin on psychological and polygraph testing. Thurmond's position was that he did not like these tests and he would have to go with Ervin on the bill.

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s/ John S. Warner
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